

Thelma Olsen

Thelma Elizabeth Brotherson Olsen, 75, of Moroni, died Feb. 16, 1991, at the home of her daughter, Lynn, in Las Vegas, Nev., of cancer.

She was born Dec. 16, 1915, in Bonita, Duchesne County, to William N. and Annie Burnside Brotherson. She married Oman LeRoy Olsen of Moroni on Sept. 30, 1944, in Elko, Nev. Their marriage was later solemnized in the St. George LDS Temple.

She received her bachelor's degree from Brigham Young University and her master's and Ph.D. equivalent from Flagstaff, Ariz. She taught school more than 40 years in Tabiona, Emery, Fairview, Fountain Green and Mesquite, Nev.

She was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and had in many auxiliary callings. She and her husband served missions in Zimbabwe, Africa, and Sidney, Australia, as well as Moroni Stake Name Extraction missions, Manti Temple Visitors Center missions, and Moroni Stake missions.

Survivors include her husband of Moroni; two sons and three daughters, Kyle Olsen, Long Beach, Calif.; Craig Olsen, Cheryl Reese and Mrs. Mark (Lynn) Lerner, all Las Vegas, Nev., and Mrs. William (Deborah) Campbell, Orem; 18 grandchildren; one brother and one sister, Blaine Brotherson, Talmage, and Ila B. Tidwell, Mt. Pleasant.

Funeral will be Thursday, 1 p.m. in the Moroni Stake Center. Friends may call Wednesday, 7-9 p.m. at Ursenbach Funeral Home in Mt. Pleasant and Thursday, 11 a.m.-12:45 p.m. at Moroni Stake Center.

Burial in Moroni City Cemetery.

Verl Worthen Olsen

CARBONVILLE—Verl Worthen Olsen, age 74, died January 17, 1992 at his home.

Born October 17, 1917 in Utiona, Utah, son of Fredrick and Laura Worthen Olsen. Married

Marcella Anna Fern September 11, 1940 in

Vernal, Utah. Member of the LDS Church. Resi-

dent of Carbon County since 1945. Former em-

ployee of Kaiser Steel, Sunnyside Coal Mine, re-

ttled in 1974. Retired member UUMA.

Survived by his wife, Carbonville; three sons,

two daughters and spouses, Wayne and

Kathrine Olsen, Helper; Doug and Mary Olsen,

Wellington; Ronda Mandarinas, Fred and

Raine Olsen, Dawn and James Stowe, all of

Price; 14 grandchildren; four great-grandchil-

dren; also one brother, Bill Olsen, and one sister,

Jennie Atwood, both Salt Lake City.

Funeral services 2 p.m. Tuesday, Mitchell Cha-

pel where friends may call daily 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Family will be at Mitchells Sunday evening 6-8

p.m. and Tuesday one hour prior to services.

burial Price City Cemetery.

Eldon R. O'Neill



Eldon Ruba O'Neill, age 74, passed away Thursday July 4, 1991 in Salt Lake City.

Born December 10, 1916 in Duchesne, Utah to George Bonner and Ruby Nielsen O'Neill.

Married May 1930 in Salt Lake City. He retired from Amoco Oil

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Gevene Duncan Sorensen

Gevene Duncan Sorensen, our loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt and friend.

Passed away

May 31, 1991

in Salt Lake City,

She was born

on July 16, 1916

in Neola, Utah to

Ivan Peter and

Maria Keele

Duncan. She

married Mar-

shall Lee Moore,

and divorced

40 years

ago.

She shared her

life with her dear husband James H.

Sorensen.

She lived most of her life in Salt

Lake and was a member of the

lds Church.

We her family, always knew

that we were the most important

part of her life. Each grandchild

was special to her and she was

so proud of their achievements &

accomplishments. She was a

beautiful example to us of kind-

ness, hard work, honesty, genera-

lity and love.

She will be remembered by her

friends at ZCMI where she

worked for many years and also

her neighbors and friends who

were the recipients of her sweet

acts of kindness.

She is survived by her loving

husband, her devoted daugh-

ters and their husbands, Jean

and Fred Bodenstein, Colen

and Jim Lund of Salt Lake City,

Carol and Robert Steele, Salina,

Utah and June Berger, Durango,

Colorado, nine grandchildren,

ten great-grandchildren, brothers

and sisters, Thelma, Rose, Mar-

olie and Edwin of Salt Lake City,

Elsie, Neola, Utah and Harold

Richtfield, Utah. Preceded in

death by her parents, brother

and grandson.

Funeral services will be held

Tuesday, 12 Noon, June 4, 1991 at

Liberty Park Ward, 445 East Hor-

vard Ave (1105 So.) Friends and

family may call Monday 6-8 p.m.

at Wasatch Lawn Mortuary, 3401

South Highland Drive and at the

Church on Tuesday one hour pre-

or to services. Interment Wasatch



Ray Thomas

TABIONA, Duquesne County—RAY Thomas, 73, died June 8, 1985 in a Hebrew City hospital.

Born Feb. 9,

1912 In Du-

chesne to Benj-
amin Tom and
Elizabeth Jane

Tol.

Werkley Thom-

os. Married

Erno Clowburn

June 12, 1936 in

Bridgeland, Du-

chesne County.

Member LDS;

Church. Former and stockman.

Served as Duquesne County

Commissioner 14 years and as

president of Duquesne-Straw-

berry Water Users Association

many years. He was active in

civic and political activities. En-

joyed participating in livestock

auctions, and enjoyed fishing,

hunting, trapping and sporting

activities.

Survived by wife of Tablon:

children, Mrs. Dale (Renée)

Wright; Price; Ace Ray Thomas;

Mrs. Nolan (Aito) Giles and Craig

B. Thomas, all of Tablon; 20

grandchildren, seven great-

children, brothers and sis-

ters, Dave Thomas, Elmer

Thomas and Mrs. Vern (Aito)

Thomas, all of Duquesne; Alden

Thomas of Orem, Layton Thom-

as of Randolph, Rich County;

Mrs. Cheif (Rachel) Henderson;

Mario (Dino) Precedo in death

by a daughter, Corina and two

grandchildren.

Funeral service Wednesday,

1:30 p.m., Tablon Ward Chapel,

where friends may call Wednes-

day, 1:30 p.m., until services.

Burnt Roosevelt Cemetery. Fu-

neral directors Olpin Mortuary,

Heber City.

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UTAHN WARD, Duchesne Stake, Duchesne Co., Utah, embraced the Latter-day Saints residing on the Duchesne River, above Duchesne. The center of the ward, where the ward house stood, is six miles north of Duchesne, and eight miles south of Tal-mage.

Soon after the opening of the Uintah Reservation in 1905, Elijah W. Mayhew and other L. D. S. settlers took up land on the Duchesne River about six miles north of Duchesne. The settlement was founded in 1906 by saints who were organized into a branch of the Church Dec. 17, 1911, with Levi C. White as presiding Elder. It was named the Point of Rocks Branch, but afterwards called Utahn. The original name, Point of Rocks, was suggested because of a point of rocks standing on the east side of the Duchesne River. The Utahn Branch was organized as the Utahn Ward June 30, 1918, with Levi C. White as Bishop, but the ward was disorganized Sept. 24, 1922, and its remaining members were transferred to the Duchesne Ward. *Encyc Hist Jenson 189*

UTRECHT CONFERENCE, or District, of the Netherlands Mission, embraces that part of the Netherlands which comprises the provinces of Utrecht, Gelderland and Overysel, with headquarters in the city of Utrecht, which is situated in the midst of a fine agricultural district, 30 miles northeast of Rotterdam and 30 miles southeast of Amsterdam. It was originally known as the Arnhem Conference, which conference (which see) was organized in November, 1897, and continued till July 1, 1924, when its headquarters were removed from Arnhem to Utrecht, and its name changed. The total Church membership in the Utrecht District at the close of 1930 is 324, including 48 children.

Alvin Washburn

Alvin Marrott Washburn, 70, longtime resident and businessman, died March 10, 1992, at Utah Valley Regional Medical Center in Provo.

He was born May 15, 1921, in Duchesne, to A. Verd and Grace Marrott Washburn. He married Juna Christiansen, June 15, 1951, in the Logan LDS Temple. She died in 1990.

The family moved to Orem when he was a child. He was educated in the Orem schools. He also attended Utah State University and Brigham Young University. He and his wife and family resided in Provo and Orem for 40 years.

He served in the Air Force during World War II. He also worked on the original construction of Geneva Steel. He was a master mechanic, and with his father operated the first auto dealership in Orem, Washburn Service. He later founded Orem Motor Company and operated Washburn Motor Company with his wife and sons.

His dealership was awarded The Dealer

of Distinction Award by the American Import Dealers Association.

He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, and had served in many positions, including ward clerk. He particularly enjoyed home teaching.

He served as a director of the American Cancer Society, and hosted the 1991 fund-raising drive. He enjoyed working, traveling, reading, poetry, gardening, and was an inventor.

He is survived by five children, Jerry C. Washburn, David J. Washburn, Carl S. Washburn, Shellee Gardiner, all of Orem; and Mark A. Washburn, Pleasant Grove; 17 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren; two sisters, Betty Neidhammer, Palm Desert, Calif.; Gloria Wright, Orem; and a brother, Paul Washburn, Pleasant Grove. He was preceded by his wife, and by an infant son, Michael.

Funeral will be Friday, 11 a.m. in the Provo Sharon East LDS Stake Center, 1060 E. 2400 N., Provo. Friends may call Thursday, 7-9 p.m. at the Sundberg-Olpin Mortuary, 495 S. State, Orem, and Friday at the stake center from 9:45 to 10:45 a.m. prior to the services.

Burial will be in the Provo City Cemetery.

